

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1 and 15, as follows:

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1. (Amended) A portable computer system comprising:
2 an indicating device having a plurality of light emitting devices activated according to a
3 signal from the portable computer system; and
4 a controller managing said indicating device to display power-on self-test (POST) codes in
5 response to operating states of the portable computer system, the power-on self-test codes being
6 generated in power-on self-test [codes] process by a basic input-output system (BIOS) of the
7 computer system.

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15. (Amended) The portable computer of claim 14, with the lighting devices being a
plurality of light emitting diodes displaying the power-on self-test codes in accordance with an order
3 of the power-on self-test [codes] process.